



Loudoun News

Report from Scott K. York

Chairman, Loudoun County Board of Supervisors

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Message from Chairman Scott K. York



Dear Friends:

Last week I shared with you some data with respect to the impact decisions made by previous Board of Supervisors have had on our County. Most certainly the growth of the County's population has impacted the County budget.

The graphic below demonstrates how your property tax dollar is allocated. Nearly a full 79% of your property tax dollars are dedicated to education or public safety. All have been impacted by the growth in our population. As you know,

Loudoun County will open 17 new schools from 2000 to 2003.

I am also pleased to make you aware of a great family event -- Loudoun County's Earth Day Festival at Franklin Park. Please see page two for details.

As always, I look forward to hearing from you regarding your thoughts and suggestions.


Scott K. York
Chairman

How Your Property Tax Dollars are Allocated

Schools
68.5%

**Public
Safety**
10.1%

**Health &
Welfare**
6%

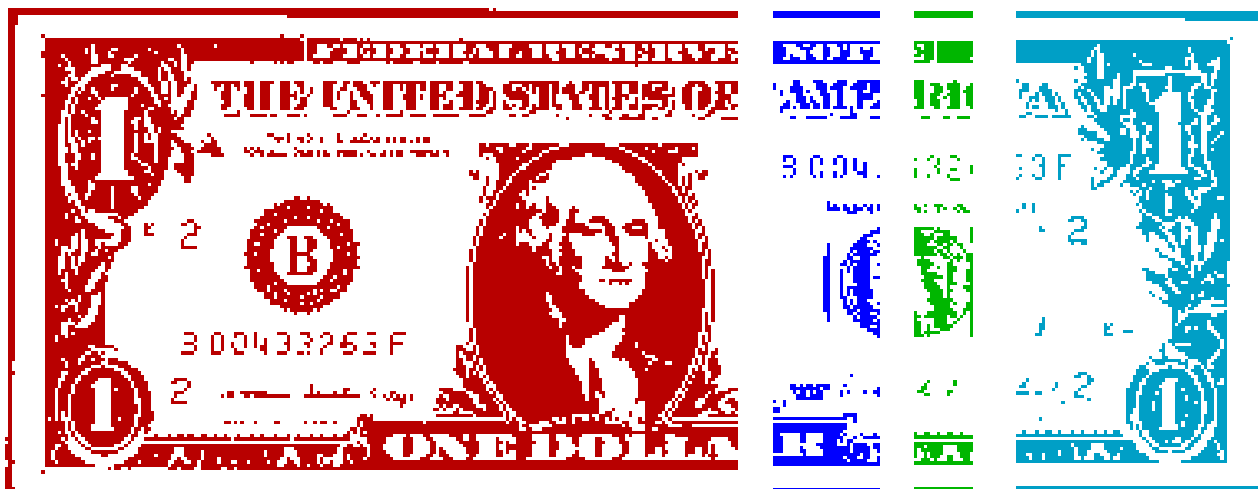
**Parks &
Libraries**
4%

**Govt.
Admin.**
3.4%

**Comm.
Dev.**
2.9%

**Non-School
Debt**
1.9%
**CIP &
CARP**
1.9%

CSA
.9%



Percentages do not equal 100% due to rounding

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Earth Day Festival - April 21 - 1PM to 4:30 PM Franklin Park, Purcellville

All Day Activities

- Flower Maze
- Pony Ride
- Shady Acres Llamas
- Nature Crafts
- Marine Life - Touchable Tanks
- Cartoonist
- Energy Friendly Car
- Hot Air Balloon Ride (weather permitting)
- Fairfax Re-Leaf - seedling plantings
- Loudoun County Solid Waste Management - Recycling
- Face Painting
- Pottery by Hand
- Butterfly Habitat and Release of live butterflies
- Pond Water Study
- VDOT - Color Virginia Wildflowers
- Save the Bay Foundation
- Rust Sanctuary - Nature Knowledge
- The Friends of the L.C. Animal Shelter



Festival Performances

1pm - Butterfly Habitat Garden ground breaking ceremony by Eagle Scout Jared Fausnaught

1:30pm - Kathleen Jacobs Puppets presents "Magic Pots & Recycled Bottles"

2pm - Peter McCorry the "One-Man Childrens Band will sing earth day songs

2:30pm - "Under the Sea" live marine animals with touchable tanks

3:15pm - Reptiles Alive presents Rainforest Animals

4pm - Wildflower Seed planting with the Girl Scouts

Admission:

\$2 per person
Maximum charge of \$10

Franklin Park
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Purcellville
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Don't Forget - Household Hazardous Waste Collection Date - April 20



The office of Solid Waste Management will be holding its Household Hazardous Waste Collection program on April 20th from 9AM to 3PM at the Park View High School located in Sterling. For more information go to Office of Solid Waste's homepage on the County's [web site](#).